

COMMITTEE HAS FILED HIS CERTIFICATE OF CANDIDACY; AND

(2) THE LOCAL BOARD OF THE COUNTY OR BALTIMORE CITY IN WHICH THE COMMITTEE HAS PROMOTED THE SUCCESS OR DEFEAT OF A LOCAL PRINCIPLE OR LOCAL PROPOSITION SUBMITTED TO A VOTE AT AN ELECTION ONLY IN THAT COUNTY OR BALTIMORE CITY; AND

(3) THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS IF A CANDIDATE SUPPORTED OR OPPOSED BY A COMMITTEE HAS FILED HIS CERTIFICATE OF CANDIDACY WITH THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS; AND

(4) THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS IF THE COMMITTEE HAS PROMOTED THE SUCCESS OR DEFEAT OF A POLITICAL PARTY, STATEWIDE PRINCIPLE, STATEWIDE PROPOSITION, OR OTHER PRINCIPLE OR PROPOSITION SUBMITTED TO A VOTE AT AN ELECTION IN A COUNTY OR BALTIMORE CITY AND ALL OR PART OF ANOTHER COUNTY OR COUNTIES.

(e) Whenever any report is required to be filed by a certain date, it shall be considered timely if it is mailed BY REGISTERED OR CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED, and bears a postmark on or before the required date, regardless of when it is actually received. UNLESS A REPORT IS SO MAILED, THE BOARDS AND THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF ELECTION LAWS SHALL PROVIDE A RECEIPT FOR EACH REPORT RECEIVED.

(f) The provisions of this section shall apply to all committees and treasurers for candidates for public or party office located outside of the geographic boundaries of the State with respect to all expenditures of funds within the State of Maryland.

(G) FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, THE FAILURE TO PROVIDE ALL OF THE INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE FORMS PRESCRIBED IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 26-12, TO THE EXTENT APPLICABLE, IS A FAILURE TO FILE.

26-13.

(a) No person shall be deemed elected to any public or party office under the laws of this State, or enter upon the duties thereof, or receive any salary or emoluments therefrom until [he shall have filed the statements provided for in § 26-12 in accordance with the schedule of reports in § 26-11; and no officer authorized by the laws of this State to issue commissions of election shall issue a commission of election to any person claiming to be elected to any such office, until copies of such statements as aforesaid shall have been made and filed under oath, by such person with such